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In re Application of:

B. Hinz

Application No.: 09/782,612

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For: PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR THE PRODUCTION

OF A COMPONENT CONSISTING OF A FIBER

REINFORCED MATERIAL

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicant wishes to call the attention of the Examiner to the following references:

U.S. PATENT(S):

Patent No.	<u>Patentee</u>	Date of Issue
4,902,215	Seemann, III	Feb. 20, 1990
5,052,906	Seemann	Oct. 1, 1991
5,439,635	Seemann	Aug. 8, 1995
5,601,852	Seemann	Feb. 11, 1997

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENT(S):

Country	No.	Date of Publication
International	WO 95/32849	Dec. 7, 1995
International	WO 94/20278	Sep. 15, 1994
Germany	198 13 105	Sep. 30, 1999
Germany	100 13 409	Mar. 17, 2000

English language abstracts are attached to the enclosed copies of $\underline{\text{DE }198\ 13\ 105}$ and $\underline{\text{DE }100\ 13\ 409}$.

Copies of the above-listed references are enclosed, together with a completed form PTO-1449.

Consideration of these references by the Examiner is respectfully requested. To date, a first Office Action on the merits has not been received in connection with this application. This Information Disclosure Statement is therefore believed to be timely filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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